

New Subdomain Proposal

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1. Anyone may propose a new subdomain for the DoD Joint Technical Architecture (JTA) at any time. However, to be accepted for a specific version, the draft subdomain needs to be submitted early enough in the Phase I change request submission period (see [development schedule](#)) of the update cycle to ensure the Technical Architecture Steering Group (TASG) will have time to evaluate and approve the new subdomain. The draft subdomain should be forwarded by e-mail to the [secretariat](#).

2. The secretariat reviews the draft subdomain for the approved format against the subdomain template and the [JTA Editorial Style Guide](#), adjusting it where necessary. Click here to [view](#) or [download](#) the subdomain template.

3. The Secretariat then forwards the draft to the TASG secretariat for approval as a new subdomain to be added to the DOD JTA. Approval **does not** mean the standards contained in the draft subdomain are approved.

4. For configuration management purposes of a new subdomain, change requests (CRs) must be submitted at <http://JTAonline.net> for the following:

4.1. Request the new subdomain be accepted for its parent domain.

4.2. Each standard specified in the subdomain, whether **mandated** or **emerging**, must be proposed in a separate change request with the following information provided (an asterisk indicates the information is required):

4.2.1. Criteria for standard selection (as described in Section 1 of the JTA)

Technical maturity*

Public availability*

Technical implemental*

Consistent with authoritative sources*

How interoperability is enhanced in the Joint environment*

4.2.2. Information about the standards

Standard number/identifier*

Standard title*

Date standard was adopted*

A brief abstract that describes the standard*

URL where standard can be accessed or acquired*

Sponsoring standards organization*

Type of standard (international, national, military, etc.)

Classification of standard

Applicable options or implementation conventions

Keywords

Products that have incorporated the standard

Implementation guidance

Other pertinent information

5. Change requests then go through the normal change request review process.

Questions? Send an e-mail to the [Secretariat](#).